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E.O. 11652: N/A
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SUBJ: ICRC ASSISTANCE IN MID EAST

ICRC ISSUED PRESS RELEASE IN FRENCH NOVEMBER 1 RE ITS
ACTIVITIES IN EGYPT AND ISRAEL. BELOW IS INFORMAL MISSION
TRANSLATION (UNNECESSARY WORDS OMITTED).

QUOTE. GENEVA. DC-6 AIRCRAFT PUT AT DISPOSITION
ICRC BY SWISS GOVT LANDED CAIRO OCTOBER 30 WITH CARGO
FOUR TONS MEDICINE AS WELL AS TWO DELEGATES AND ONE DOCTOR
TO REINFORCE ICRC STAFF CAIRO WHICH NOW COMPRISES SIX PERSONS.

SOON AFTER ARRIVAL, DOCTOR WENT TO THE CITY OF SUEZ
TO BEGIN EXAMINATION OF SITUATION LOOKING TOWARD ANOTHER
EVACUATION OF WOUNDED CIVILIANS AND MILITARY. THIS ALSO MARKS
BEGINNING OF DIRECT RADIO CONTACT BETWEEN ICRC DELEGATION
IN CAIRO AND GENEVA.

DC-6 AIRCRAFT USED BY ICRC WENT OCTOBER 31 TO
TEL AVIV WITH CARGO OF 3.3 TONS OF MEDICAL MATERIAL,
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PRINCIPALLY SURGICAL DRESSINGS AND BANDAGES, IN RESPONSE TO

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REQUEST FROM ISRAEL. END QUOTE. BASSIN

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